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**Subject:** Complaint against Robert Mittman, Candidate for the Democratic Party Nomination for Member of Congress, 6<sup>th</sup> Congressional District, New York State; FEC COMMITTEE ID # C00521674.

Dear Mr. Herman:

My name is Augusto Sevilla of iMedia 225, based in NYC. I am submitting this complaint against Robert Mittman ("Mittman") for violations of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended (the "Act"). **Specifically, Mittman failed to disclose a debt of Nine thousand nine hundred and ninety four dollars (\$9,944).** Mittman owes this for professional services performed in that we created two campaign videos for the Mittman for Congress Campaign; 1- *Dr. Mittman For Congress*, 2- *Politics As Usual-Queens & America In Crisis* (Two DVD's enclosed).

To date the debt of \$9,944 was never paid. Mittman was, and is required to comply with the Act, and required to disclose expenditures and any outstanding debt of his campaign committee to the FEC. Mittman was given numerous notices and opportunities to make good on the debt. Upon information and belief Mittman knowing that he had this debt when he filed disclosure forms with the FEC did not report them. Mittman has not paid the debt and has not disclosed it in the filings or amended filings with the FEC. Mittman never disclosed this debt a clear violation of the Act.

**BACKGROUND**

On or about the first week of June 2012, Mittman requested that I create an introduction video and a comparison video to use to promote his candidacy. I did so and the videos were used as follows:

1. Uploaded to his website, [www.DrMittman4Congress.com](http://www.DrMittman4Congress.com)
2. Video 1 uploaded to: <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OFCpcEV57Og>
3. Video 2 uploaded to: <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=unPvOgu1rgU>
4. Both videos used in internet campaign by Mittman.
5. Both videos used in press releases by Mittman
6. Videos were reported by Major Media including: NY Daily News & the NY Observer:  
<http://www.nydailynews.com/blogs/dailypolitics/2012/06/ny-6-robert-mittman-calls-foes-peas-in-a-pod>  
<http://politicker.com/2012/06/robert-mittman-s-campaign-pitch-i-am-a-medical-doctor-video/>

On June 25, 2012 Mittman was sent an invoice by regular mail to his campaign office for the production of the two campaign videos.

On July 3, 2012, Mittman was sent a letter by regular mail to his campaign office with invoice attached for the production of the two campaign videos to his campaign office. Additionally, on July 3, 2012, Mittman was sent an email with letter and invoice attached billing him for the production of the two campaign videos.

On July 12, 2012 I received an email from the Mittman campaign email that the July 3, 2012 email was received and had been forwarded to Susan Mittman who on information and belief acted as the record keeper for the campaign and Ms. Kelli Weiss who acted as director of the campaign office.

On July 17, 2012 Mittman was sent letter and invoice attached by fax for the production of the two campaign videos to his personal office.

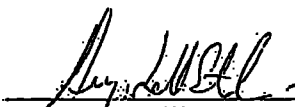
On August 3, 2012 Mittman was sent letter and invoice attached by fax for the production of the two campaign videos to his personal office

On August 5, 2012 Mittman was sent a Demand for Payment letter for the production of the two campaign videos by certified mail to his personal office and his residence.

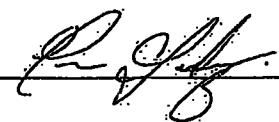
I am requesting that the Commission investigate this matter, take the appropriate action and assist me in any fashion possible in collecting on this debt.

State of New York  
County of QUEENS

On the 14<sup>th</sup> day of August in the year 2012 before me, the undersigned, personally appeared Augusto Sevilla, personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the individual whose name(s) is (are) subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his capacity, and that by his signature on the instrument, the individual, or the person upon behalf of which the individual acted, executed the instrument.

  
Augusto Sevilla

State of New York  
County of QUEENS  
Subscribed to and sworn before me this 14<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2012,

by  (signature of notary)

PRINTED NAME

CARMEN GUTIERREZ  
Notary Public, State of New York  
No. 01GU6043814  
Qualified in Queens County  
Commission Expires June 26, 2014.

**ENCLOSED**

1. Copy of two videos (DVD's)

2.

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